IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Case 7414

In the Matter of

US National Phase Entry Under 35 USC 371 from

International Application of

Panadiker et al.,

Int'l Application No. PCT/US00/03472 : Group Art Unit : N/A

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For Laundry Detergent Compositions with Fabric Enhancing Component

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

The Assistant Commissioner of Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

<u>Before computing the fees</u> for entering the captioned International Application into the US National Phase, please enter the following amendments.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please delete current claims 1-11 and replace with the new claims 12-28 below.

12. A detergent composition comprising:

from about 1% to about 80% by weight of surfactants selected from the group consisting of nonionic, anionic, cationic, amphoteric zwitterionic surfactants and mixtures thereof; and

from about 0.01% to about 5.0%, by weight of a fabric enhancing component selected from the group consisting of cyclic amine based polymers, oligomers or copolymers, hydrophobically modified cellulosic based polymers or oligomers, and mixtures thereof; and

wherein the detergent composition is contained within an interior chamber of a container, the container further comprising an exterior surface wherein the exterior surface contains a description of the composition comprising language

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